

## **SECTION E INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE**

### **E.1 52.0242-4154 PAST PERFORMANCE INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (PPIMS)**

As required by the FAR Part 42.1500, policy has been initiated to record and maintain contractor performance information. To implement this program for supplies and services, the Department of Defense has created a database entitled, Past Performance Information Management System (PPIMS). An evaluation will be prepared of the contractors' performance for each supply and service contract to include modifications and task orders expected to exceed \$100,000.00. The PPIMS form, entitled, Performance Assessment Report (PAR), will be prepared by both the Contract Specialist and the Contracting Officer's Representative (COR) and signed by the Contracting Officer and submitted to the contractor for each evaluation performed. A copy of the PAR format is located at Section J. This program replaces Supply and Service Contractor Appraisal Support System (SSCASS).

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### **E.2 52.246-4 INSPECTION OF SERVICES--FIXED-PRICE (AUG 1996)**

(a) Definitions. "Services," as used in this clause, includes services performed, workmanship, and material furnished or utilized in the performance of services.

(b) The Contractor shall provide and maintain an inspection system acceptable to the Government covering the services under this contract. Complete records of all inspection work performed by the Contractor shall be maintained and made available to the Government during contract performance and for as long afterwards as the contract requires.

(c) The Government has the right to inspect and test all services called for by the contract, to the extent practicable at all times and places during the term of the contract. The Government shall perform inspections and tests in a manner that will not unduly delay the work.

(d) If the Government performs inspections or tests on the premises of the Contractor or a subcontractor, the Contractor shall furnish, and shall require subcontractors to furnish, at no increase in contract price, all reasonable facilities and assistance for the safe and convenient performance of these duties.

(e) If any of the services do not conform with contract requirements, the Government may require the Contractor to perform the services again in conformity with contract requirements, at no increase in contract amount. When the defects in services cannot be corrected by reperformance, the Government may (1) require the Contractor to take necessary action to ensure

that future performance conforms to contract requirements and (2) reduce the contract price to reflect the reduced value of the services performed.

(f) (Deleted)

(End of clause)

**E.3 52.0246-4034 FINAL INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE.**

Acceptance of supplies and/or services is the responsibility of the Contracting Officer or his duly authorized representative (COR).

Unless otherwise specified, final inspection and acceptance of supplies and/or services called for hereunder will be made at destination.

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